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August 15..3898	
Total.....106,379	
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Increase.....235	

Personally appeared before me, this September 1, 1906, E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of August, 1906, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.
PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public.
My commission expires January 22, 1908.

Daily Thought.
"How you may serve, not how you may profit, should be your highest concern."

The lower board of the general council is right in backing up the efforts of the Commercial club and the county farmers' institute, by making an appropriation to defray incidental expenses in entertaining the Southwest Kentucky Farmers' institute. While the state pays all expenses of the speakers and the prizes, the meeting place must be furnished by the city and there will be little details of hospitality which must be paid for, that would reflect discredit on the city and be a source of humiliation to every Paducahan if not attended to. It is Paducah that is to be given credit for the manner in which the delegates to the institute are treated while guests of the city, and this expense properly should be borne by the city. Perhaps, in no way could money be better spent in advertising the city. These men come here from a contiguous territory that can be made a source of direct revenue to Paducah, and it is to the interest of the city and every citizen in it to make these farmers welcome and court their good will. Many cities have convention funds set aside, sums far in excess of the nominal appropriation for this event. Cities often bid for conventions and agree to spend so much money, and provide accommodations for delegates, which naturally the delegates would be expected to furnish themselves. In this instance, however, the Commercial club and the farmers' institute have secured the institute without obligation other than to provide a meeting place. The board of aldermen and Mayor Yeiser no doubt will concur in the action of the lower board.

The discovery of the northwest passage, if it is true, crowns with achievement one of the most glorious romances of history. Columbus and all his contemporaries, and his predecessors, and subsequent explorers for many years devoted their time and money to the search for the "northwest passage to India." More recently the idea has been given up, and the Panama and Suez canals and transcontinental railroads render the discovery of little commercial value. But we always must remember with gratitude, that it was the quest for this all-water route that brought about the early discovery of our land.

Judging from the infrequency with which candidates are dropping \$2 entrance fees into the hat of Democratic Committeeman James Lang in answer to the hysterical cries of "Vox Populi," and "Many Voters," not only officers but nominations will be seeking the men in Paducah this fall.

Some folks were storming at what

GENUINE SYMPATHY.



First Tramp: "Says in this 'ere paper as 'ow some of them millionaires works eight and ten hours a day, Bill." The Philosopher: "Ah, it's a 'ard world for some poor blokes!"

they chose to term discord between the city departments. Haven't they a good word to say for the manner in which Mayor Yeiser, the general council and the board of public works acted in the street improvement matter?

The emperor of China has promised his country a constitution whenever the "people are fitted for it." Apparently the emperor intends to fit the people to the constitution instead of fitting the constitution to the people.

Detectives state that Stensland, the Chicago bank wrecker, was Morocco-bound, when he left home. They might have added that he was guilt-edged, and his price and scarcity stamped him an edition de luxe.

A convention of delegates to elect a president and adopt a constitution, has been called in Ecuador. This novel method of choosing a ruler may appeal to the fickle fancy of the South Americans.

Paducah enjoyed the company of thousands of orderly, liberal, well-behaved guests yesterday. The city's only concern is whether her guests had a good time, and they appeared to be happy.

Battling Nelson should have considered that racial predilection for low fowls, when he struck Gans that deliberate blow in the forty-second round.

DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE.

C. A. Walsh, Democratic national committeeman from Iowa, has this to say about the personnel of this executive committee:

"Sheehan, formerly a discredited Buffalo politician, builder of the most vicious political machine ever known in Erie county, arrested for the flagrant violation of the civil service law, his machine finally routed and he practically driven from Buffalo, is now, with his partner, Judge Parker, one of the chief corporation lawyers of New York, representing among others, the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company, and has represented in legislative halls and the courts. Consolidated Gas, Edison Electric and many others. He is a director in the Cord Meyer Development company, the company lately caught stealing the city's water on Long Island, and in many other corporations.

"Belmont is the head of the American branch of the famous European banking house of the Rothschilds. He organized the company that captured the New York subway. He is a director in about thirty special privilege-seeking corporations. He maintains a legislative bureau with a press annex, and is notorious for his lobbying methods. He is the leading promoter of horse racing and race track gambling.

"Smith was formerly the iron-fisted boss of the Essex county machine, the friend and tool of William C. Stickney, reputed friend of Gov. Abbott, of New Jersey, but betrayed him in his senatorial fight in 1903, and had himself elected to the United States senate. While in the saddle as boss of the state of New Jersey the gravest frauds were revealed in that state, and in a whirlwind of public resentment he and the party were driven from power in 1894, and the party power has never been regained in New Jersey. In the senate he was the same corporation tool, co-worker with Gorman and Bruce. His last appearance in the limelight was as receiver of the International Shipbuilding company, when he asked a \$200,000 fee, although the work was largely done by attorneys, his bond was only \$100,000 and the total sums passed through his hands were only \$1,125,000 in the aggregate. The attorney general opposed this and the fee was cut down.

"Martin, prior to election to the United States senate, was the attorney for the Chesapeake & Ohio railway, while Gaffey is looked upon as the field agent of the Standard Oil.

"In deed, the only member of the Democratic national executive committee not known as a special representative of that corporation class which is constantly seeking special privileges of city, state or national government is Mr. Ryan."

IT WAS POWDER

AND BEVERLY PRYOR LIES AT HOME IN BANDAGES.

He Found Box in Stable and Set Fire to It to Ascertain the Nature of Its Contents.

As the result of an attempt to ascertain the nature of the contents of a peculiar looking box by setting fire to it, Beverly Pryor, the ten-year-old son of Frank Pryor, 1904 Gastrie avenue, lies in bed with his legs, arms and face swathed in bandages.

The box contained powder. The accident occurred at 1 o'clock today. Beverly and a companion were playing in the stable and noticing a box with black powdery-looking contents, they struck a match to see if it would burn. When the neighbors reached Beverly Pryor his clothing was burning and the skin had been burned off his arms, legs and part of his face. After his injuries had been dressed he was resting easy and will be out in the course of a week.

WEEKLY MEETINGS.

McCracken County Medics May Change By-Laws.

To change the by-laws so that in the future, weekly meetings will be held instead of monthly meetings, will be the principal business of the regular country meeting of the McCracken County Medical society next Wednesday week. As it is now, six months in the year, semi-monthly meetings are held in Paducah, and the other six months, monthly meetings are held in the country. The physicians think that better, more effective work will be done if weekly meetings are held, and that the interest will be keener.

TWO BANDITS

Hold Up Oregon Cashier, Gag Him and Rob Bank.

Rainer, Ore., Sept. 4.—Two bandits Monday afternoon bound and gagged Cashier Vanaucker, of the State bank of Rainer, and robbed the institution of \$2,500. Silver bank notes were lying on the counter untouched. Vanaucker was alone in the bank when the robbers entered and covered him with revolvers. The robbers escaped.

Double Drowning.

Rockford, Ill., Sept. 4.—A double drowning occurred in Rock river this afternoon. Lawrence Harnett, a participant in a canoe regatta, fell from his boat and drowned. At the same time Raymond Daniels was drowned a mile up the river.

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MATINEE AND NIGHT.

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Seats on sale Friday at 9 a. m.

LABOR DAY PLAN PROVES SUCCESS

Every Detail Carried Out As Arranged.

Thousands of Strangers in the City Attended the Celebration at Park.

MADE MORE THAN EXPECTED

Labor Day has come and gone and this morning the hundreds of tradesmen who were enjoying a day of celebration yesterday are back at their places with pleasant memories of yesterday. The day was slightly marred in the afternoon and evening by rain, but thousands flocked to the park, permitting nothing to interfere with their pleasure.

The most important event of the day was the election of a Goddess of Labor. Hundreds sold tickets for days before the day of the election arrived, and there was a great deal of rivalry among the workers. Miss Geraldine Gipson won the honor, receiving a total of 778 votes. She was the carpenter's candidate. Miss Edna Bukey, candidate of the machinists, received 336. Miss Mattie Love Prince, 302. The latter was the railroad carmen's candidate.

Miss Gipson, directly after the polling of the vote, was given a fine gold watch. The presentation speech was made at the dancing pavilion in the presence of hundreds, by Chairman Carroll. Miss Gipson resides at 1743 Harrison street and is one of the most popular young women in the city.

Capt. Ed Pearson drew the brass bedstead, drawing No. 711.

The Best Dancers.
At the dance given under the auspices of the Central Labor Union last evening at the Wallace park pavilion, the best waiters were Miss Hallie Lofton and Mr. William Herbst, of the Plumbers' union. The young lady was awarded a pair of shoes.

Most Successful.
The Central Labor Union is about \$300 ahead the result of Labor Day. While the figures cannot be definitely determined this is the estimate of those in a position to know.

The sale of Goddess of Labor tickets netted a great deal and gave admission and other sources of revenue swelled the total amount.

"I would estimate the net proceeds of our Labor Day celebration at \$300," Mr. George Walters said. "We had a great deal of expense but managed the affair carefully. In the afternoon I judge we had 5,000, and at night fully 8,000. The excursion rates to the city drew about 2,000 visitors. It was one of the most successful celebrations we ever had."

Members of the committee of the Central Labor union, which had charge of the celebration yesterday, are receiving the compliments of friends and the thanks of the union for the manner in which they carried out all the plans. Financially and every other way the event exceeded all former efforts.

IRON HAND RULE

Will Be Adopted by New Commandant of the Police.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 4.—General Trepoff, commandant of the palace, is to be succeeded by Lieutenant General Baron Kleigels, according to a report based on good authority today. Kleigels is a believer in the iron rule method. He has been responsible for many cruel reprisals against the revolutionaries.

An Assistant of Nature.

One of the most interesting things of this day of interesting things is the great success being achieved by osteopathy.

There is hardly a day that some cure which is deserving of attracting much attention, is not made by this new science, and the more it is studied, and the better it is known, the easier it is to see why it is so.

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It discovers the cause of disease, and treats it by scientific manipulations in order to correct disorders and bring about a natural condition.

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I should like to have you call to discuss your particular case at any time, and not only will I tell you frankly what osteopathy will do for you, but refer you to well-known Paducah people whom it has done much for.

DR. G. B. FROAGE, Phone 1407, Office 618 Broadway, Upstairs.

TWO CASES TRIED IN CIRCUIT COURT

Both Defendants are Acquitted by Jury.

Criminal Term Begins in Earnest Today With Both Juries in Session.

OTHER BUSINESS AT COURT

The second day of the regular September term of McCracken circuit court began this morning and brought with it two jury trials in the morning session.

The first thing done was the empanelling of the petit jury as follows: J. M. McKinney, M. Marks, Fred Hummel, J. S. Pryor, W. A. Flowers, F. G. Broyles, W. M. Blewitt, J. T. Pierce, J. H. Derrington, W. J. Roof, J. E. Jones, W. M. Willett, C. A. Coleman, F. M. McElathery, George Bernhard, S. B. Gholson, M. V. Cherry, F. L. Ward, D. L. Levy, E. L. Potts, Knox R. Flournoy, C. W. Morrison, F. E. Ashby and H. E. Thompson.

Forfeitures in the cases of Sam Story and L. Nelson were dismissed.

A forfeiture of \$300 bond was declared in the Harry Phillips case. Bondsman are Attorneys Pete Seay and D. A. Cross.

Two cases of obtaining money by false pretenses against Woods Jones and Ernest Ozment were continued. The case against J. E. English charged with converting money to his use, was continued.

The case against J. T. Norfleet for forgery was continued. The bail bond of Wm. Hickman, charged with obtaining money by false pretenses, was declared forfeited. Bondsman Thomas Leech.

The bond of Ed Cloonan, charged with malicious cutting, was declared forfeited.

A grand larceny case against Jim Doolin was continued.

Cases against Harry Phillips, Alice Hubbard, Mima Robertson and Perry Bryant were fled away.

Because of a decision of the appellate court on a similar case, the indictments against J. S. Bordeaux, W. B. Smith and other directors of the Home Purchasing association were dismissed.

J. A. Bloodworth, formerly proprietor of a saloon on the south side, was indicted on four counts for nuisance, and was fined \$25 in one and dismissed in three of the cases.

The Jury Cases.

Two jury cases were tried this morning and both defendants came clear. They are: Henry Boyd, colored, charged with flourishing a revolver, and Jerry Davis, colored, charged with obtaining groceries with a worthless check.

Marriage Licenses.

George A. Backer city, 25, and Sophia May Hummel, city, 21. R. W. Wagoner, county, 40 years old, and Annie How, county, 45 years old.

Court Notes.

G. C. Finley and G. E. Allen qualified today as deputy county assessors.

Linn Pryor has been appointed Guardian for Ed Pryor.

In Police Court.

Dock Willingham, colored, had trouble with Claude Garner, white, and the two were presented in court this morning, charged with breach of peace. Willingham persisted in interrupting the court and when the ev-

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idence was heard was fined \$25 and costs for contempt of court and \$10 for being drunk and disorderly.

Andred Cooper, colored, was presented on a charge of criminal assault preferred by Birdie Burgess, J. M. Milson, was fined \$50 and costs for disorderly conduct.

Other cases: Beattie Foster, colored, drunkenness, \$1 and costs; Mack Boose, colored, failing to supply weak horse with water, \$25 and costs; Will Shearer, breach of peace, continued; Paul Burgess, disorderly conduct, dismissed; Joe McKnight, colored, breach of peace, dismissed; Pat Moore, Ed Sears and J. W. Nelson, breach of peace, left open; Mrs. Lou Charity, disorderly conduct, continued; Albert Harris, colored, disorderly conduct continued; W. H. Patterson, breach of ordinance, continued; G. B. Underwood, drunkenness, \$1 and costs.

Suits Filed.

Clara M. Rudolph today filed suit against S. M. Rudolph for divorce, \$1,000 alimony and the restoration of her maiden name, Clara Ragsdale. They were married January 24. She alleges cruel and inhuman treatment.

Rachael Owen, colored, was tried and adjudged an idiot in the circuit court this afternoon.

The Scott Case.

On account of the absence of three important prosecution witnesses the case against Ed Scott, charged with murdering Charles Stewart, was continued and all witnesses were recognized. Orders of attendance and attachments will be issued in the case.

Deeds Filed.

W. M. Milliken to Walter Clark property on Maple avenue, \$100.

D. M. Potts to G. W. Edwards property in the county, \$1200.

J. M. Richardson to J. H. Martia, property in the county, \$800.

S. T. Hubbard to E. H. Puryear, property at Eighth and Terrell streets, \$360.45.

Sarah Ouse to Peter S. Ratelife property in the Maplewood addition, \$500.

W. C. O'Bryan to John Wootan, property in the O'Bryan addition, \$170.

W. C. O'Bryan to Joe B. Lambert property in the O'Bryan addition, \$65.

Mr. Joe Hurst has gone to St. Louis to reside.

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